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In response to the Office Action mailed May 31, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

amendments to the **Drawings** begin on page 2; amendments to the Claims begin on page 3; and Remarks begin on page 6.